## **HOUSE BILL 471**

## By White

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, relative to dual enrollment.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-930(a), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

- (3) "Eligible postsecondary institution" means:
- (A) A postsecondary institution that is an eligible postsecondary institution under § 49-4-902; or
  - (B) A private, nonprofit technical school that:
  - (i) Has had its primary campus domiciled in this state for at least seventy-five (75) consecutive years;
    - (ii) Is accredited by the Council on Occupational Education; and
  - (iii) In addition to offering diploma, certificate, and associate degree programs, offers a baccalaureate degree through an articulation agreement with a regionally accredited postsecondary institution.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to students seeking postsecondary financial aid for the 2021-2022 academic year and each academic year thereafter.